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IN RE APPLICATION OF
PAIVI JAANA KUKKOLA
APPLICATION NO. 09/533,219
FILED: MARCH 23, 2000
FOR: THYROMIMETIC AGENTS

Art Unit: 1624
Examiner: T. Truong

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LETTER CORRECTING NAME

Sir:

On June 11, 2001, Applicant sent a Letter to the PTO to correct the middle name of the inventor in the above-identified application. The **Applicant(s)** information in the Letter listed the middle name of the inventor correctly; however, a typographical error listed her first name incorrectly. The transmittal papers and the declaration (both filed on the same date) as noted in the Letter and the filing receipt erroneously listed the middle name incorrectly but not the first name. Please make the necessary changes and issue a corrected filing receipt listing the **Applicant(s)** information as follows:

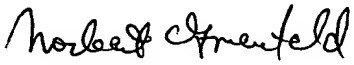
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A copy of the filing receipt with the correction noted and a copy of the Letter of June 11, 2001 are enclosed herewith.

Applicant believes this error is ascribable to the Applicant. If a fee is required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the \$25 fee under 37 CFR §1.19(h) and any additional fees that may be required to Deposit Account No. 19-0134 in the name of Novartis Corporation.

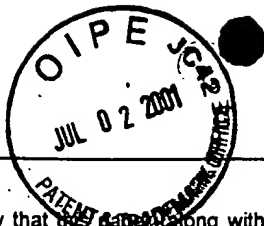
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Applicant would like to notify the Patent Office of a typographical error in the inventor's middle name in the above-identified application. The transmittal papers and the declaration which were both filed on the same date and the filing receipt erroneously listed the name. Please make necessary changes and issue a corrected filing receipt listing the **Applicant(s)** information as follows:

— Applicant(s) PAIVA JAANA KUKKOLA —.

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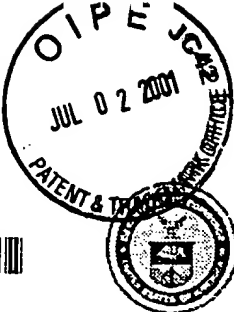
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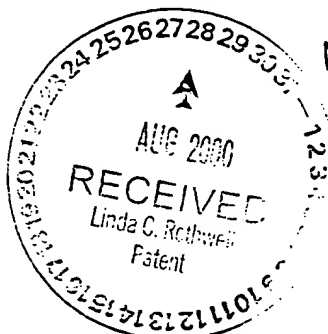
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THIS APPLN CLAIMS BENEFIT OF 60/183,030 03/29/1999 ABN ✓

Foreign Applications

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Title

Thyromimetic organic compounds ✓

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